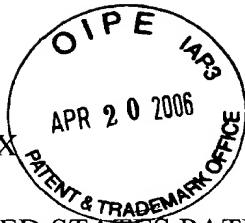


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SERIAL NO: 09/965,031 : GROUP ART UNIT: 2167
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FOR: A METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR : "**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**
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AMENDMENT

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated October 20, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 12 of this paper.